

III. Amendments to the Abstract

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

ABSTRACT

~~"AN AIR-BAG"~~

A side air bag [[(1)]] is disclosed for a motor vehicle, and takes the form of a three-dimensional airbag which is formed from two super-imposed layers [[(2, 3)]] of fabric. The super-imposed layers [[(2, 3)]] of fabric, when laid flat, have ~~at least~~ a substantial common area of super-imposition. Infill pieces [[(42, 43)]] formed from either at least one gusset forming insert or from a portion or portions of fabric of one or both of the fabric layers [[(2, 3)]] which extend beyond the area of super-imposition are provided. The air-bag [[(1)]] has an inflatable region towards the upper part of the air-bag [[(1)]] and an inflatable region towards the lower part of the air-bag [[(1)]]]. The two inflatable regions are separated by a part of the air-bag which is constrained when the air-bag is inflated, to have a thickness less than the thickness of either of the said regions.

FIGURE 1